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In regard to the application of: Yaacov ALMOG

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LETTER TO THE EXAMINER

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
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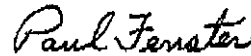
Sir:

The present application is a continuation application under 35 U.S.C. §111(a) of 08/987,591, now U.S. Patent No. 6,337,168, which is a continuation application of 08/583,009 which is a national application under 35 U.S.C. §371 of PCT Application No. PCT/NL93/00181.

Applicant attaches an equivalent to form PTO-1449 listing the art cited in U.S. parent application 08/987,591. Applicant is confident that the Examiner has reviewed and considered the art in accordance with MPEP Section 6091.A.2. However, applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner return the enclosed form initialed, in order to ensure that the items listed therein appear on the face of the patent issuing on the present application.

Early and favorable consideration is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,
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